SNAP Recipients who are Exempt from the Federal Work Requirement

Not all SNAP recipients are required to work register—the following groups are **exempt** from the federal work requirement:

- Those who are 17 years of age or younger or 60 years of age or older, as applicable
- Those who are physically or mentally unfit
- Adult KTAP recipients
- A household member responsible for the care of a child under 6 or an incapacitated person
- Those who have applied for or receiving Unemployment Benefits (UIB)
- Participants in a drug or alcohol rehabilitation program
- Those employed or self-employed for a minimum of 30 hours per week or who
 have equivalent income (in-kind work is any work that is not paid but that is
 completed in exchange for rent or other commodities)
- Students enrolled at least half-time in a recognized school, training program, or institution of higher education
- SSI (Social Security Income) recipients or those who have applied for SSI